- Uncle William, last July Had his picture took. Have it done, of course," says I, " Just the way you look!" (All dressed up, he was, fer the Barbecue and jubilee The Old Settlers helt.) So he-
- Last he had it took. Lide she'd coaxed and begged and plead, Sence her mother went: But he'd cough and shake his head At all argyment; Mebby clear his throat and say: What's my likeness 'mount to, hey, Now, with mother gone away
- But we'd projick'd round, tell we Got it figgered down How'd we'd git him, Lide and me, Drivin' into town; Bragged how well he looked, and fleshed Up around the face, and freshed With the morning air; and breshed
- His coat-collar down. All so providential: Why, Now he's dead and gone, Picture 'pears so lifelike I Want to start him on Them old tales he ust to tell And old talks, so sociable, And old songs he sung so well 'Fore his voice was gone!

From us, like she went?"

- Face is sad to Lide, and they's Sorrow in the eyes-Kisses it sometimes, and lays It away and cries: smooth down her hair, and 'low He is happy, anyhow,
- Bein' there with mother now-Smile and wipe my eyes. -James W. Riley, in Century.

FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT. A Reading-Room Plan That Was a Great Success.

"Oh dear!" exclaimed Mrs. Perkins, dropping down into a chair, after finishing her week's ironing; "I do wish I had a little time to read! Not that I complain, but it does seem as if a woman's work was never done."

Her cousin Gertrude looked up from the block house which she was building for the amusement of eighteen-monthsold baby May, and two sympathetic lines showed themselves between her brows.

"Poor Nannie! You do have a busy life-and you are only two years older than I! But if I were you, I should not iron those every-day sheets and pillowcases and towels so conscientiously; and I shouldn't wear so many white skirts, nor dress the baby in white every day."

"Oh! yes you would," sighed Mrs. Nannie. "I used to think just those thoughts. I knew before we were married that Harry's salary would not be large enough for us to keep a housemaid, and I thought our housekeeping would be a sort of play affair. I did make so many good resolutions about letting things go, and furnishing our house simply and dressing simply, but oh dear! There is just about so much to do, no matter whether you think you will get along easily or not. Monday is washing day; Tuesday, ironing; Wednesday, baking; Thursday, sweep Mg; Friday, mending and sewing, and Saturday, baking again!"

"Yes, Nannie," hesitated Gertrude, but then she went bravely on. "In the first place, your washing is larger than it need be-hush! you must listen -it is. Your starched clothes and the baby's. May would be just as sweet if she were dressed in colored ginghams. and she would have a great deal better time, and be healthier, too. I don't wonder that you do not want her to play in the sand, the way you dress her -so that is reform No. 1.'

Mrs. Nannie looked as if she wanted to be convinced of this, but that it would take too much heroism and independence, so long as Mrs. Fuller, opposite, and Mrs. Lamson, next door, always kept their little ones so daintily dressed. But Gertrude kept on:

"So, if your washings were smaller, your ironings would be so much easier, too. Harry ought to have his linen sent to the launary. It is enough to break your back to bend over that table so long. Then comes Wednesday's work. You cook too much-yes you do, Nannie!-that is, you could set a simpler table. You have too many pies and cookies and doughnuts. You know it takes an awfully long time to roll out all those things; and there are so many desserts that are more wholesome and easier made-cold puddings. jellies with cream, custards, and you always have fruit in the summer. Why, my dear girl, you are just spoiling your complexion by staying in the house so much, and standing over that hot stove.'

"But I have to, really," interrupted Mrs. Nan.

"No, you must listen. I have saved you at least two hours each day, and now comes Thursday. Nannie, you know that you sweep when it is not necessary. And when you furnished your house you ought to have used more straw matting. But then, I suppose it did not seem handsome enough; yet if you would only wait for a little dirt to show itself! Oh, I have been so exasperated to see you sweep, sweep, sweep; and now I am going to say all I want to, having begun so fluently," she laughed a little, but continued earnestly, "it always gives you a nervous headache after sweeping, for you are not content with stirring up one room, but you go through all the rooms that you

"But Aunt Martha looked as if she thought I was a very shiftless housekeeper.'

"Oh, Aunt Martha! yes, she is one of that kind of women who polish their stoves until you can see your face in it. I don't believe in the old-fashioned way of housekeeping, neither do you, but you haven't quite the moral courage to defy gossip. And your sewing, Nannie! Again, you dress the baby as if it were a little princess, and it is not in good taste. Children ought to wear very simple frocks instead of tucks and flounces and insertions. And your own gowns might be-made with fewer stitches; and instead of hemming your sheets and pillowcases by hand, you might use your machine.

"Oh, no!" protested Mrs. Nannie, in

dismay. "Well, if you keep on this way, by the time you are ten years older. and you ought to be a young, fresh, healthy woman at thirty-five, instead of which you will be thin and tired and sallow, with a chronic head and backache, always staying in the house, unable to walk or enjoy any thing out of doors; never reading, but engrossed and worried for fear you are not as good a housekeeper as Mrs. Winslow; your horizon bounded by a dishcloth, a broom and a needle! Oh, Nannie! you are too good and sweet and clever to become a mere machine!"

There was a little silence; then Mrs. Nannie spoke, and her voice was a little husky, yet there was a new ring in it, as if she would look beyond her world that was growing so narrow.

who would take interest enough to form a magazine club." "Have you ever tried?" asked Ger-

trude. "No-" Mrs. Nannie hesitated. "Well, I have a plan. At the end of

ditions?" And so the matter was

When Saturday night

work had all been done, and baby May was sound asleep, Gertrude drew Mrs. Nannie down on the soin beside her. took a paper from her pocket and said: "How would you like a reading-room?" Mrs. Nannie's eyes grew bright.

"Well, you may have one. I have hired that room over Mr. Brown's store. It used to be Mrs. Jackson's dress-making rooms. Well, I have hired it for a year -that is my share. Oh, never mind, it wasn't much. Well, here are nearly fifty names; they represent twenty families, and each person pledges only one dollar apiece, which makes fifty dollars, for papers and periodicals. You can select what you wish-probably a daily or two; the leading magazines-an art magazine, book review, else you wish, for there will be a few more dollars added yet. I have been to Dr. Moore, and he has kindly offered to have the floor painted. Mrs. Williams has given her old drugget for a large rug: Mr. Barnes has sent over several pictures, and some of the young people are going to put up red Canton flannel draperies at the windows, and others edge. are to donate chairs and tables. The room will be very cozy and attractive. Every thing will be in working order by the first of October."

"This is like a fairy story! You are a witch, I believe. No one else could have ever opened these purses." "People seemed very willing, after the first hesitation, of course. It all

will not cost them more than two dollars apiece for the year-wood and lights, you knew, included. Any way, it is a good experiment to try. I should advise you to form a club, and meet at least once a week; then the library can be kept open two or three hours each afternoon and evening. You can all take turns, you know, if it is necessary to have some one there." "It is perfectly lovely." exclaimed

Mrs. Nannie, unable to say more. The next summer Gertrude came to visit her cousin, and though, of course, she had heard about the success of her little literary undertaking, she was glad to see for herself how much good had been done.

"We could not get along without it!" said Mrs. Nunnie. "Why, we have something to think about besides ourselves and each other. We know what is going on in the world, and it has given us a new interest in life. Then, too, we grow more social; I think you will see that the people are very much improved. Everybody is so kind. We have had books given us. We found we needed a cyclopedia for reference, and when Mr. Simms, the clergyman, bought a new Britannica, he gave us his old set. And he is such a help to us. We have a regular class in Universal Literature, and Political Science, too: Mr. Simms teaches us. We women are learning a great deal about our country, and I think the voters are growing a little wiser. The boys are better behaved : r 1 more polished, and the girls more curtivated. We married people do what we can; then it is so cleasant to get out together. We have something to talk about besides bonnets. pies and the baby's last tooth, laughed Mrs. Nannie.

"And you can 'slight' housework a little?" questioned Gertrude mischievously, then added: "Why, you look as young as you did when you were first

married-handsomer, too!" "So Harry tells me," blushed Mrs. Nannie. "I manage to walk a little every day, too. I agree with you, there is nothing like fresh air and sunlight. Harry has me use dumb-bells and Indian clubs, and now is going to put up some chest-weights. I used to say that I had all the gymnastics I wanted with a broom and wash-board-but books broaden one so!"

Gertrude refrained from saying: "I told you so."

"I think the men like it immensely. Instead of getting off 17 themselves and smoking in some store, they always find companionship at the club-room, and we are not intellectual enough yet to and heard the black ruler insult the flag frighten them. How narrow we were of every civilized nation almost, inclugrowing, until you came here, like a good Samaritan, and led us in the right direction."

"It is deplorable," admitted Gertrude, "to know how provincial villagers often become, and it is so unnecessary. I know that individuals can not always buy books nor subscribe for magazines. but on this mutual benefit plan a great deal can be accomplished with very little expense.

"I am going to write about it!" exclaimed Mrs. Nannie. "I presume there are hundreds of villagers just as benighted as we were. Why, we could not live without our reading-room; and more than that, we have learned how to work without becoming slaves, or jaded, faded old women."-Mrs. Merry, in Good Housekeeping. . : .

Brutes in a Biting Match. SHAMOKIN, Pa., June 22.-In West Coal township, early yesterday morning, Patrick Ryan and James Levitt engaged in a ten-round biting match, a contest that has rarely been equaled in brutality by any struggle between human beings. For some time there had been bad blood between the men over the latter's wife, and when the principals met on Saturday night they conmet, with a couple hundred friends, on | swears allegiance to a code antagonistic a dancing pavilion. After fighting a to God. few rounds the principles agreed to turn the struggle into a biting match. latter could recover Ryan's teeth had torn a piece of flesh from his opponent's cheek. Levitt immediately retaliated by sinking his molars into Ryan's neck. lyan sprang on his half-fainting opponent and deliberately tore almost half of the lower jaw out. The spectators, not being able to stand further brutality, interfered, stopped the fight, and both men were carried home.

NEW ORLEANS, June 22-A special from Paul's Valley, Indian Territory, says sixty Chickasaw militia, who left here Wednesday in charge of Governor

Indians on a Drunk.

Byrd and United States Agent Bennet, to meet the United States troops West of here and eject six thousand United States citizens who are living in the country without permits, all got drnak staff was lynched three days after- mond, and another to at once formulate twenty-five miles West of this place. An eye witness says they have a barrel in the commissary wagon and a gallon jug in each saddle. Some of them went local farmer's yard and shot down horses. They halted a white farmer, abused and the first sequence of Fowler's contession abused and the first sequence of Fowler's contession and shot down horses. They halted a white farmer, abused and the first sequence of Fowler's contession and shot down horses. They halted a white farmer, abused and the first sequence of Fowler's contession determined to erect the monument here, and the first sequence of Fowler's contession determined to erect the monument here, and the first sequence of Fowler's contession determined to erect the monument here, and the first sequence of Fowler's contession determined to erect the monument here. cause he was white. This much whiskey mixed with sixty Indians, who are clothed with some authority, is liable to cause the loss of several lives, as when they are drunk their only desire ing stories come from Algeria of the is to shoot and kill.

A Death-Deallag Storm. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 20 .- A destructive storm passed over Eastern Ar- is the locusts themselves, of which vast with his family, consisting of his wife kansas this morning. Houses were unroofed and blown down, fences carried French colonial authorities are taking live-year-old son, Pierre, from his mothis no library in town—this is only a away and a large area of timber land steps to stay the plague as much as posterior and threw him into the sea. county, committed suicide by shooting is no library in town—this is only a little New England village—and I don't believe there are women enough here who would take interest enough to would take interest enough to see a second timber land steps to stay the plaguess much as possible by the use of scientific means. The child was lost, and the father, who was laid waste. Mrs. Jeila Shadrick sible by the use of scientific means. The child was lost, and the father, who was insane, was seized by the officers of the ship and put in irons. He had threatened to throw all his children to the same of timber land steps to stay the plaguess much as possible by the use of scientific means. The child was lost, and the father, who was insane, was seized by the officers of the ship and put in irons. He had threatened to throw all his children to the same of the sam was crushed beneath falling timbers. the locust plague in Algeria Two boys named Hollingsworth are missing and it is feared they have been killed in the woods.

A FEROCIOUS DESPOT.

HIGH-HANDED OUTRAGES PERPE-TRATED BY BALMACEDA.

Barbarou, Punishment Inflicted Upon Those Who are Supposed to Sympathise With the Revolutionists-A Reign of

NEW YORK, June 22,-Many startling facts in connection with the revolution now raging in Chile, which throws Balmaceda, are now given to the public | place. for the first time through the United here last week. They have witnessed the conduct of the revolution from its inception, and speak from actual knowl-

The combined stories of the three show that Balmaceda is well termed the 'tyrant," in Santiago, where his headquarters are, no one dares to utter a word against him. He has a cross of red painted on all the houses of people marked residences his police and sol-They ransack the rooms, on the ground after having as good a time as they wish, depart, only to repeat the offense in some other marked residence. The people in these houses are forbidden to lock their doors.

No one is allowed to ride on horseback through the streets after 5 o'clock in the afternoon; no three persons are allowed to walk the streets in company at any time of the day, and no two persons can stand and converse on the street. It is a veritable reign of terror for all who, either through fear or interest, have failed to cast their fortunes with Balmaceda.

The storekeepers and all who employ laborers have to furnish each one with a tag, showing that they are regularly employed by such a merchant at such a place. If the laborer is caught on the street, going to or from his work, without this tag he is gobbled up by the soldiers of Balmaceda and impressed into his service. This system exists in Valparaiso also.

One of the gentlemen referred to was walking along the street past a jail yard. He heard some terrible shricks from some one on the other side of the wall. He enquired of a soldier the cause and was told that some of Bahnaceda's soldiers were punishing a man who had reand pins into his hands and fingers.

The next day he saw a horrible punshment meted out to a Chilean who had been overheard to say that he was willing to work his hands off for the revolutionists. The poor fellow's hands were placed on a block and his fingers pounded to a jelly by a big mallet in the hands of a soldier. He was then told that he could go and work his hands any way he wanted to, and for any one.

NEW YORK, June 19 .- According to a letter received from Port-au-Prince yesterday, President Hippolyte atempted on May 29 to take four political prisoners from the Mexican consulate in the Haytien capital. When the entire diplomatic corps called on the Presilent, May 30, to protest against this violation of international law, Hippolyte attempted to play a high-handed game of bluff, and he might have succeeded had not the German consul threatened to report the matter to his government. Minister Fred. Douglass, it is said in the letter, stood trembling with fear ding his own, and he did not dare offer any protest. Terror reigns supreme at Port-au-Prince. Illppolyte continues to kill his supposed enemies, but they accumulate faster than he can kill them The real instigators and leaders of the movement against him have escaped his vengeance. Some of them are secretly at work in Port-au-Prince. Hippolyte, the writer thinks, is undoubtedly crazy. It is stated that when the consuls cailed on him he became angry and rushed out of the room, and was soon after heard playing a flute in the next The consuls were leaving, when the minister of foreign affairs came in Day. and begged them to remain, sayreturn immediately. The minister then | the passage of a carefully guarded license went out and apparently remonstated with Hippolyte, as he soon re-entered the room and excused himself on the same grounds mentioned by his minis-

A Minister and a Mason.

Boston, June 22 .- During the regular Monday meeting of the Baptist ministers in Chapel Hall this forenoon the Rev J. B. Stoddard addressed the Conference, laws. at its suggestion, upon the influence of secret societies upon the Church, and in

The Rev Mr. Cleveland, of Melorse, Their hands were strapped behind their of order, and, with suppressed emotion, backs and time was called. Ryan said: "I am a Mason and I cannot listen codged Levitt's rush, and before the to this unjust and uncalled for abuse." Chairman Moran put the question to the meeting of sustaining the point of

order, and it was defeated-50 to 7. Instantly Mr Cleveland rose and, addressing the secretary, said: "I request that you drop my name from the roll of propriation for the display of lowa's remembership of this Conference. I do sources at the World's Columbia Expo- shoe that mule in the regular way or This great medicine, by its bloodnot care to be a member of any body sition. that refuses to sustain any decent point

Then taking his hat he left the hall and Stoddard finished his address.

Lynched the Wrong Man. wards. It is reported that Fowler im- and cause to be exected a plan for colplicates Jeff Bowker and Frank and lections for the purpose of a monument Elijah Carey, who were under suspi- to Jefferson Davis; and that these colcion at the time of the murder. Great lections be turned over to the Jesserson violence may result.

A Plague of Locusts. LONDON, June 18 .- The most thrillravages of the locusts. In many districts not a sprig remains on a farm,

One Hundred Horses Burned. PHILADELPHIA, June 25 .- Fire broke Death of Ex-Senator McDonald.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 21.— Ex-Senator

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Twenty-fourth and Chestnut streets at here at 11:27 p. m. There was a distinct ceeds, and you must agree to the conssed away very peacefully, without a be a total loss. Over 100 horses were and the earthquake was so slight ggle, surrounded by his family, who lin the building and these are all believed to have been burned to death.

DON'T SERVE COLORED PEOPLE.

How the Civil Rights Law is Evaded in

President Harrison's Home Indianopolis, June 19 .- "We don't serve colored people here," said a waiter city. 'How do we co it?' Well, we do not decline to feed them. This is the way we get around the law. A colored man comes in and takes a seat at the luuch counter. He calls for pork chops, say. We say, 'Are you willing to

gro. There they keep two bills of fare, whom these facts are obtained, are at one for the whites and one for the and he never returns to that restaurant. Absent-mindedly I gave a 'white' bill time was a professional player on the Anti-Sub treasury League at Dallas. of fare to a smart colored department | Toronto team. messenger. Of course he ordered and was allowed to eat. It could not be but their names could not be learned whom he suspects are not wholly in helped. The next day he returned, but owing to the reticence of the hospital sympathy with him, and into these this time he was given the 'black' bill employees. of fare. To our consternation he gave diers go at any hour of the day or night. the same order he had the previoue called and met the special train that They ransack the rooms, on the ground day. But this time I gave him a check went out for injured. They were taken that they are looking for revolutionists | for \$1.75. He wasked up to the cashier | to the different hospitals. and planked down a half dollar piece, The soldiers demand wine and food, and saying he would duplicate his order of pital died this evening. Many women have also urged upon President Polk the the day before and would pay the same and children had their arms broken rate and no more. He turew the half | and were otherwise injured, dollar in the glass case and made a break The newsboy. John Higgins, was

> could not charge one price one day and the body. another the next." evasion of the law is that colored wait- lives by jumping. ers are the most zealous in excluding

a nobleman from Siam, saying that he would not serve a "nigger." Sentinel. The car next to The Weather and the Crops.

The weekly weather and crop bulletin of the South Carolina weather service, in co-operation with the United States Signal Service, for the week ending Saturday is as follows and is not very encouraging to farmers:

The rainfall for the past week was about the normal, fairly distributed and beneficial to all crops in most sections of the State. The temperature was ured that on sandy lands, scalding the prospects are very discouraging.

vear. The early rice is later than usual,

were planted until the present month. coal will be saved. A brakeman on publishes a seven column letter this The crop is up and growing finely, and a Charleston bound train was killed morning from Senator George, in which with continued favorable weather it this morning at Hamburg. He was he declears in favor of the Ocala platwill be increased over that of last year. | caught between two cars and mashed | form, excepting as to the sub-treasury The Iowa Democracy.

OTTOWA, Iowa, June 24 .- The Democartic State Convention today renominated Governor Boies by acclamation. The ticket was completed as follows: Lieutenant Governor, I. L. Bestow; Judge Supreme Court, L. G. Kinne; Superintendent of Schools, J. B. Knoepfler; Railroad Commissioner, Peter A.

The platform was adopted by a unaniing the President had been summoned nous vote. It demands the repeal of away on important matters, but would the probibitory liquor law and favors ing perpendicularly. tional control and regulation of railroads.

It denounces all trusts, pools and combines, and favors the election of United States Senator by a direct vote of the people; demands free comage of silver and that it be made full legal tender; favors liberal and equitable pension

It denounces the McKinley bill, the the course of his remarks he strongly de- the theory under which it is submitted they had been blasted. Some were nounced Masonry, declaring that when for the approval of the American people. brought to the surface, and they assayknuckles. It was midnight when they met, with a couple hundred friends, on dishonest manufactures; trusts and combines, creates sectional envy despoils who was in the audience, arose to a point the many for the benfit of the few, threatens the country with an aristocracy based upon ill-gotten gain, and above all corrupts the polities of the country so as to seriously endanger the perpetuity of

popular government.

Richmond Wants the Honor. RICHMOND, VA., June 18 .- A meet

Threw his Child Into the Sea. NEW YORK, June 21.-The steamer and the inhabitants are in a famishing | Feys, aged 46, a steerage passenger, a | clutches of the law.-Register. condition. Their only resort for food native of Swigerland, while conversing quantities are being consumed. The and five children, suddenly dragged his

be decided to erect it elsewhere.

overboard. Earthquake Shock. CHARLESTON, S. C., June 23 .- A State."

DASHED INTO A DITCH.

FEARFUL FATE OF AN EXCURSION TRAIN NEAR CLEVELAND

of one of the leading restaurants of the Eight Cars Leave the Track-Several People Injured-Several Fatally -Train

Was Running Sixty Miles an Hour. pay our price? He invariably answers, wreck occurred on the Nickle Plate what am the price? And we mention a rate so high that he departs without land this afternoon. The West Side Cleveland until about 2 o'clock. When three miles west of Dover, the

present in New York, having arrived blacks. If a colored man takes a seat second section jumped the track, ditchin a restaurant the waiter places before | ing eight of the ten cars. Seven of the him the 'black' bill of fare, which reads | cars were overturned and four of them something like this. 'Two boiled eggs, were torn into splinters. Many women 75 cents; pork chops, \$1; ham and eggs, and children were caught under the mate abandonment of the scheme. \$1.50,' etc. Of course he does not order debris. About forty were badly hurt. Edwara Rodgers was horribly man-The corresponding articles in the 'white' | gled. His head was crushed into a pulp, bill of fare are: Say 20, 30 and 40 cents. one arm partly severed and his breast | ceeded in organizing a movement cover-It was through the misuse of these two crushed. Rodgers was a member of ing the entire Southern States, as is

Ten or twelve were fatally injured

Every ambulance in the city was A man taken to the University hos-

for the door, but we seized him and seen by a Press News reporter, but he locked him up in a room while I went was so padly hurt he could not give a for the police. When I returned with clear account of the wreck, but says blue coat he was gone, having jumped the train was running sixty miles an out through a window. He had the hour when they left the track. His proprietor arrested. The judge fined clothes were torn nearly off. His face nim \$100, holding that a public caterer | was cut and he was badiy bruised about

The engine buried itself in the ditch. One strange feature about this The engineer and fireman saved their to make his answer.

The cars rolled down the embankwhich they work. It will be remember- filled with muddy water. The passened that a colored waiter was discharged gers were covered with mud and as from service in a Chicago hotel last nearly everyone was bleeding from cuts winter because he refused to wait upon received, it was difficult to tell how

The car next to the engine was mashed into splinters and all who were in this car were seriously hurt. There were at least twenty that had to be carried from the special train that brought which numbered fifteen or more.

track spread.

AIKEN, S. C., June 19 -A general about the average and beneficial to all smashup occurred on the South Carolifused to work for him by driving tacks crops. Sunshine was about the average | na road near Aiken at 9 o'clock this amount which was very beneficial to morning. A freight train from Auguscrops, and, while no excessive rains, ta to Charleston, consisting of twentydestructive winds nor hail was reported, four boxes of coal, stalled on the hill yet, nevertheless, the constant showers about a mile from the depot. The conand the heavy and continued rains of ductor divided the train into two secthe previous weeks have kept the lands tions, leaving the second behind, intoo wet to perform the usual amount of | tending going on with the first to the farm labor, and the result has been shifting yard. When the first section that a large portion of the cotton crop reached the cut that runs through the is in the grass, and in some instances heart of the city the train parted by the almost hopelessly ruined. The rains, breaking of a coupling pin. The dewhilst they have benefited the cotton on | tached part, owing to the terrible inclay lands, have to a great extent in- clination, rolled back toward the second section. Owing to the distance, young plants and thereby causing the detached part had a chance to go much of it to die out. The stands are with great speed, and when it reached generally very imperfect; cotton is the boxes left behind it utterly demolsmall and from present appearances the ished them. Four boxes were splin- near Norfolk. The school house is sittered to pieces and pitched on top of uated in a ravine. The water began The condition of the corn crop con-tinues to improve, and the prospect for everywhere. A construction train with the teacher and the pupils realized their a full average crop is now almost as-a large force of hands set to work to a large force of hands set to work to danger. Young Miles conducted the clear the debris and repair the track, teacher and seven pupils safely through The fall eats have been harvested and which was injured. All trains going the torrent, but several others drifted the yield is much larger than antici- north and south were delayed until away, and in his effort to save these he pated, but the area is smaller than last 1:20 p. m., when the train from Charles- was drowned. Cora Hamlin and Anna ton to Augusta passed over in safety. Cox also perished. This wreck occurred where the bank is planting having been retarded by 100 feet high, a slanting position, and heavy and continued rains. In some it was fortunate that no brakemen sections not more than half the crops were aboard the wrecked cars. The

> to death.—The State. "The Devil's Sink-Hote." SAN ANTONIO, Tex., June 22 .- J. C. Carr, an old Texan, for two terms Ser- is a wonderful exposition of the Ocala geant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives and at present interested in in a strong light before the Alliance. the presentation of Indian depredation claims at Washington, has returned from the Rio Grande section and re-

lar opening six feet across and descend-Recently it was partially explored. tax law; advocates the Australian system of voting, and favors State and natural and at that point he found a ledge from the party were trying to make a land which ran a passage way seven feet ing in Icy Bay with Russell's Mount high and wide enough for three men St. Elias party. The Bear leit Sitka abreast, and running at a steep decline. on the morning of the 14th for Behring He followed it 300 feet and came to an | Sea. immense lake of water, ice cold. He had no means of determining its extent, but a stone hurled with all his force splashed in the water fully seven-

ty yards away. The bank of the lake was covered motives of its authors and defenders and | with pieces of rock looking as though mysterious cavern is an abandoned Spanish mine and has other exits and entrances. It will be thoroughly explored by competent prospectors.

A Malicions Mule.

SEBEWAING, Mich., June 19 -A terri- health. ble fight between a man and an infuri-It denounces the wasteful and lavish ated mule occurred in Heyman's blackappropriations of the last Congress, and smith shop on Wednesday. The mule concludes by recommending a liberal ap- had an aversion to being shod, and had knees, ankles, hips, and wrists are all man finally fixed the shoes and went strengthens the whole body. to the door to cool off. He had hardly done so when the mule broke away ing of the Chamber of Commerce and from the man holding him, and with the Davis Monument association was distended jaws made for Heyman. The held this evening, at which a preamble mule chased Heyman all around the Augusta, Ga. RICHLAND CENTRE, Wis., June 23.— and resolutions, prepared by Mayor shop, stretched his snapping jaws to Irwin Fowler, of Viola, Richland Ellyson and Gen. Peyton Wise were Heyman's face and bit off the nose and County, has confessed that he had a unanimously adopted. The resolutions lower right cheek. Heyman fell to the hand in the murder of old Reuben Drake, his wife and two grand-children in May, 1888, for which Andrew Grand-ment of Mr. Davis' remains in Rich-ment of the mule deliberately pounded his prostrate body. The doctors fear ment of Mr. Davis' remains in Rich-ment of the mule. floor and the mule deliberately pounded his prostrate body. The dectors fear foam-flecked lips of the mule.

Thomas J. Stack Acquitted. COLUMBIA, S. C., June 19.-The case

against Thomas J. Stack, indicted for or to the appropriate parties, should it the jury on Wednesday night, and at 9 of both mother and child, as thouo'clock yesterday morning they came sands who have used it testily. into court with a verdict of not guilty. Mr. Stack returned to the city yesterday after being discharged from custo-La Bretagne, which arrived here to-day from Havre, reports that Joseph lations upon his safe delivery from the

> Singular Verdict. INDIANAPOLIS, June 22,-Harry

Carpenter, a wealthy farmer in this despondency, caused by brooding over the increase in taxes under the new Democratic appraisement law of the

Jones, the Edgefield family exterminator, has put on his striped garb and for the next twenty-one years he will work for the State as a penitentiary convict.

WILL THERE BE A SPLIT?

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 24.-A

An Interesting Allisage Conference Recently Heid.

Jackson, Miss, special to the Times-Union says: Daring the visit here of Poik, Coaches Smashed to Splinters-Forty Livingston, McDowell and Willitts, Alliance lights, some interesting developments came to the surface in relation to National Alliance matters. The Na-CLEVELAND, June 21.-A frightful tional Alliance legislative council met in Washington last February and created a legislative committee consisting of three members, of which U. S. Hall, light upon the ferocity and despotism of ordering to seek a more reasonable Street Railway company gave an excursion to Oakpoint for the benefit of their one. The functions of this committee "Out in Washington where I used to employees. There were two trains con- were to formulate measures growing out work," said he, "the restaurant's have sisting of ten cars each. The first sec- of the Ocala demands, to be presented juveniles for the young, and whatever Press. The three gentlemen, two of another way of evading the law which tion left on time at 230. The second to the 52d Congress. Hall, from the whom are preminent Chileans, from is \$100 fine for declining to serve a ne- section was delayed and did not leave inception of the sub-treasury measure, has been one of its strongest opponents. When he was elected a member of the committee it was regarded as a victory for anti-treasuryites, and it was so proclaimed and as au indication of the ulti-

Hall, after his election, commenced to work with increased vigor against the scheme and with his coadjutors had sucbills of fare that I lost my job there. the Shamrock baseball club, and at one shown by the call for a meeting of the Texas, on July 10 next. This meeting promises to be largely attended and organized opposition to the sub-treasury measure and Macuneism will be definitely inaugurated, and on this circumstance hangs an interesting tale.

Within the last morth remonstrances have been sent to Hall by members of the legislative council, and members necessity of taking action against Hall. Polk has had considerable correspondence with Hall, advising him to desist, and very recently submitted to him one of two alternatives, either to cease his opposition to the sub-treasury bill, or to tender his resignation as a member of the legislative committee. In the event of his non-compliance he was given plainly to understand that he would be suspended, and was given until July 25

It is believed that this is a decisive stroke of policy to frustrate the objects colored men from the restaurants in ment six feet into a ditch which was of the Anti-Sub-treasury League at Dallas, Tex., and to influence less intrepid opponents to the measure than Hall to sieer clear of the Dallas council.

Those who know President Hall assert positively that he will decline to be coerced and to give up his convictions. but, on the contrary, he will resign and fight the sub-treasury scheme harder than ever. It is believed by many that them to Cleveland to the ambulances this will split the National Alliance, and that an independent organization will It is not known what caused the train | grow out of the Dallas meeting as the reto leave the track but it is supposed the | sult, with a more liberal policy in many respects, and especially as to member-

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Senator George's Flop CANTON, Miss., June 24.-The Mississippian, the State Democratic organ. and land loan features and government ownership of railroad and telegraph lines. Col. Livingstone, the leading

Southern Allianceman, says the letter demand, and will place Senator George Drowned in Icy Bay. VICTORIA, B. C., June 19 .- The steam ports a singular discovery in the cen- er Queen, which has arrived from Sitka, tre of Edwards County. It is known as reports that the revenue cutter Bear the "Devil's Sink-Hole." It is a circuing the news of the drowning of Lieut. Robinson and four of the crew of the Bear, and A. C. Moore, of Russell's

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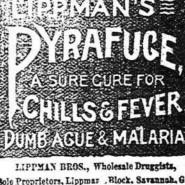
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